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| Interview Summary | Application No. 10/576,869 | | Applicant(s) HOLZHEU, PETER | |
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Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☒ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☒ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: proposed amendment to claim 1.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Ekholm.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant's attorney proposed amendments to claim 1 which, as presented, would overcome the Ekholm prior art reference. Proposed changes include claiming the facing flange arrangement (see Figure 1) wherein each component is in contact with the pressure medium and each flange facing surface contacts the gasket. Applicant to file an amendment with the proposed changes which will be further considered once filed.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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